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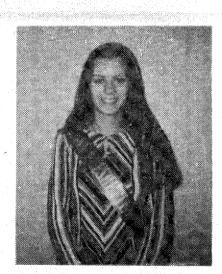
## FRESHETTE CANDIDATES

Well, despite the short notice, N.A.I.T.S.A. seems to have been able to do it again. Thats right sports fans, its FROSH week, and FROSH week means that some lucky lady is going to become Miss Freshette 1977.

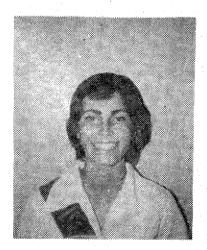
Miss Freshette candidates are chosen from one year technologies only, since these ladies are not allowed to run for the Miss NAIT title that takes place during Queen week. The girls will work with the Student Association during Shinerama Week as public relations people promoting NAITs image to the public. Throughout Shinerama week the Freshettes will be visiting such personalities as the Premier, the mayor and other radio and t.v. personalities.

Miss Freshette will be crowned at the Beer Fest held this Saturday night at the Nait Arena. For any one who is interested in going and doesn't have a ticket I'am sorry but they are all SOLD OUT.

Why don't you see if you can pick out the candidate who will be WHO WILL BE MISS FRESH



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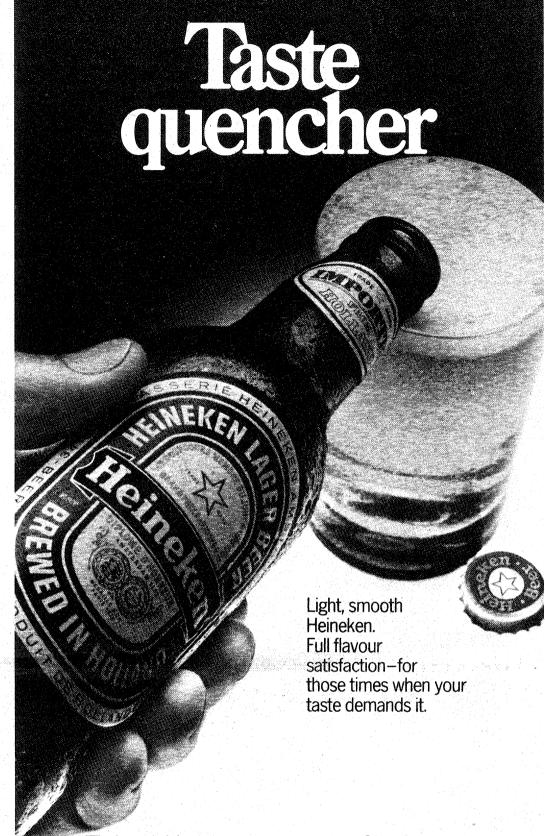
Ever feel that you've been ripped off before? Have that feeling that you've been taken but yet no that you can't do anything about it.

Well this is the case for at least 150 students here at NAIT this year because of a little thing called tuition fees. As everyone know, tuition fees went up for everybody this year, but what about the tuition fees for students who are only taking a few courses this year just so that they can graduate. If you read in your NAIT calender you notice the fees for students who only need a certain number of hours to graduate, are based on the hours you take, RIGHT. Not so. It seems the calender reads that students who are coming back to NAIT just to pick up a few courses pay in accordance with the number of hours they are going to take. FINE, but when the student goes down to the registar office, the student is charged in accordance with the number of quarters he or she intends to be here. SO, if a

student has to pick up only 5 courses or so to graduate, but they are spread over 3 quarters, this student has to pay full tuition fees. NOW THAT'S WHAT I WOULD CALL A RIP OFF.

Thr reason the fees are now charged by the quarter instead of the # of hours each student takes is because EVERYBODIES friend, Bert Hohol, Minister of Advanced Education, (at least until the re-elections for the P.C.'s come up) decided that since he was on the bandwagon, charging higher tuition fees to all students, that he might as well charge part time students the full shot as well. Its not bad enough that they have to face the major increase that every student was presented with at the beginning of the year, now they have an increase up and above the regular increase. Thanks a lot Bert of Buddy for 1thinking of new ways to scrounge money from the poor.

It used to be the other way around back in the days of Robin Hood. Guess we've made a thing called PROGRESS since then



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The NAIT hockey team requires the services of two persons to act as trainer and - or manager

for the upcoming hockey season. Responsibilities include the performance of a variety of duties related to the day to day organization and operation of the hockey team.

Experience is not necessary.

If you can be of assistance, please contact Dale Henwood at 477-4340 or drop by room E-137.

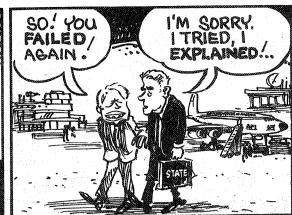
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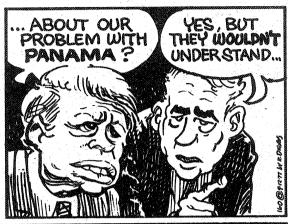
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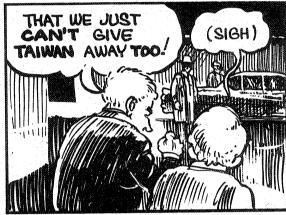
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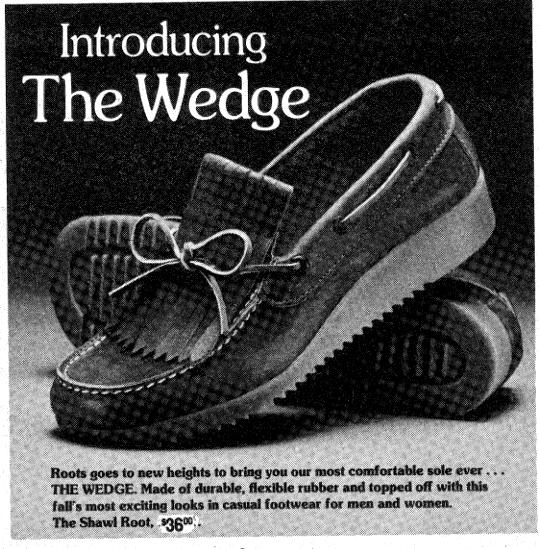
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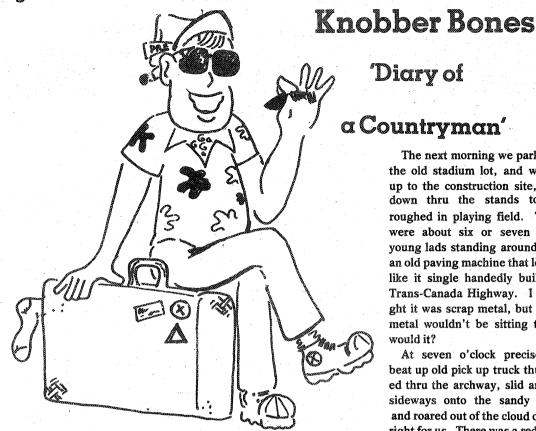
**ANOTHER** 

BIRTHDAY.

Any one who wishes
to come down and
plant a kiss upon
his body, please
sign up now
because the festive
occasion is this
Friday.

SEPT. 16TH





Well, that's it. Finished for all time. And boy does it feel good, Ever since I can remember there been something called a summer job in my life. I've done everythi ng from lumber mills to gold mines to dump trucking. And every summer invariably brings me face to face with a personality disorder called a foreman. Often thru the years I've wondered if it would be better to quit school and go hide in the mountains near Banff. At least I would have been just cold and hungry, and not suffering the "hammer this ass down into the ground while I got the chance" attitude of these relics of another age. But, I just took another pull on my cigar, and bent into it. Now, finally, it's over for all time.

And none too soon I suppose this summer's foreman was head and shoulders above the rest. he not only disliked students, he hated them with a passion. Most of the old style foreman don't like students - they're lazy, incompetent, and spoiled rotten. But Angelo was KING OF THE THUN DERING ASSHOLES. The biggest and the best of the screaming, dancing bastards. This diary entry is about Angelo what he did, and how we did the number of all numbers on him.

Way back in late May, when Hoot and I where looking for jobs we dropped into John's Construction Company. While we were filling out application forms we overhead some grunting and hysterical laughter coming out of the foreman's lunch room. That Should have been our first clue. But a week later, when the phone rang and a gruff voice called down the line saying-"New stadium, sev en o'clock, BE THERE," and then some more hysterical laughter, Hoot and I shrugged off the negative feelings, and got our work boots out.

Hoot's a lot older than me. He goes to school and takes summer jobs just to keep busy. We met a few years ago in the Youkon, and when I told him I was going to go down to Edmonton to go to Nait for awhile, he decided to come

Anyway, he's older, smarter, and a lot more people wise than I am. I felt lucky to find a job where he'd be on the same crew.

We sat down along the side, puffing and panting and sweat running off us into the sand like rain. Two fellows whispered to

The next morning we parked in

the old stadium lot, and walked

up to the construction site, then

down thru the stands to the

roughed in playing field. There

were about six or seven other

young lads standing around near

an old paving machine that looked

like it single handedly built the

Trans-Canada Highway. I thou-

ght it was scrap metal, but scrap

metal wouldn't be sitting there,

At seven o'clock precisely a

beat up old pick up truck thunder

ed thru the archway, slid around

sideways onto the sandy field,

and roared out of the cloud of dust

right for us. There was a red hard

hat and a set of grinning brown

teeth behind the wheel. At the

last second the truck braked and

ground to a stop right in front of

hysterical laughter, then the fel-

low stiffened, opened the truck

door slowly, and uncoiled out onto

the ground. Two black beady

eyes squinted, and dwelt on each

of us for a flash, - long enough to

form instant impressions of us,

long enough to send a shiver in-

green hard hats and shovels.

piece.

that sand."

stuff! Now!

Hoots's hands.

- level all over.'

whirring madman.

it!"

Each of us ended up with one a

"Alright DINK HEADS- move

Where'd that voice come from?

"This sand's gotta be level before

we run the machine over it,

understand? Level the goddam

Seven bodies flew into the area

he was pointing at. Seven shovels

arched high with a load of sand.

Seven people froze in a cloud of

grit as that voice cracked and

boomed, "No! No! No! You

He grabbed the shovel out of

"See that mark there? There!

That mark on the stake there!

Everyone of them stake's gotta

mark on it - just like that. The

sand's gotta be there, at the mark

While he talked he swished the

sand around, and levelled it up.

For about ten seconds he was a

"Then when you get it like that

take this thing and smooth it

"Just like that, assholes. Do

We fell to it, grunting and

groaning as the sun rose up and

the madman Angelo - identified

by a helmet label - danced around

us, occassionaly muttering and

encouraging us with audible droo-

lings and thunderings like, "what

of asses."

bunch

out." He took a gigantic rake and

smoothed a little patch out.

bunch of bloody boneheads.

There was a flurry of flying

There was some more

fee time dink heads."

each other, got up, and left. Hoot

At ten o'clock he yelled,"Cof-

"Get out of here you fairies," Angelo called after them.

One fellow turned - but Angelo stood up and snarled. The other fellow grabbed his friend by the shoulder, spun him around, and hauled him out thru the archway.

A breath or two later Angelo the asshole yelled, "Coffee time's over. Get at it."

We stood up too slowly for him. In a flash he crossed the sand and screeched.

"Come on slobs - level it!

That afternoon the sun boiled down on us - one fellow fell over -Angelo pulled him into the shade - then told him to haul his buns home, the fellas, Hoot, me, a big stud named Barney, and a Nova Scotian called Gary, all of us, sweat in our eyes - backs throbbing, hands blistered tongues like cows, praying for coffee time, praying for rain - praying for anything - while Angelo the asshole sat in the shade of the truck, yes - he was - drinking

beer. It's hard to say exactly what I felt. I suppose it bordered on hartred.

That first night we went home, fell alternatily into the tub, ate something - I can't remember what - and went to bed. Ten hours of Angelo the attack Foreman made us more tired then we'd ever been.

'Just before I passed out, I found the energy to flap my gums and ask Hoot if he wanted to go tomorrow.

"Yep" was all he said, and I was glad.

The next morning three replace ments were there. All the ones who'd made it to five-thirty yesterday were there. By noon we were down to six, and that was it. We had a crew.

Six days a week, ten hours a day we levelled out huge patches of sand, then melted into the asphalt. The money was good, and the whispered jokes about Angelo the Asshole were hilarious. We were winning - there I doubt if he know it. Sometimes in the heat of the afternoon I could almost hear the thundering applause as muscled atheletes pounded down the track we laid.

The summer rolled away, Aug. cooled, and Angelo didn't change We each became conviced he was a veritable lunatic - stark raving mad. But the javelin run, the pole vault, the track, the parking lots each in turn stretched away behind the greasy, black, smokebelching machine.

gone for his afternoon case of beer, we straightened our backs and leaned on the shovels. The operator shut his machine down, clambered off, and we gathered in the shade of the back fence.

over, and we each had a drink.

"Sure would be nice to have one of those beers he's coming back with," he said. His eyes were twinkling at me. I knew he was going to egg the crew to a well deserved mutiny. We were virtually finished now anyway.

There were grunts of approval.

"Maybe we should just help ourselves," Barney uttered.

More grunts of approval - some laughter at the thought of ripping a full beer away from Angel's brown teeth.

"He'd look like a fish suckin air."Gary laughed.

"We should pull a good one on him today,"Hoot said.

"Throw him right into over-

Seven minds whirled.

Angelo took great pride in getting the job done right. Accoring to plans. Square with the world. There was a new engineer, fresh from university locking horms with Angelo almost daily. If there was anything Angelo hated more than students - it was engineers. So, we put one and one together and dumped Angelo right in the middle.

A red hard hat and a set of grinning brown teeth piloted a beat up old truck thru the back gate and around the corner straight for us.

When he saw us sitting down the grin disappeared, and two beady black eyes flashed. The truck blew up beside us and five foot ten inches of screaming furry hit the black top. But before he could get properly going, Barney, six foot four of fine turned country boy muscle- put a big glove square down on the top of the red hard hat.

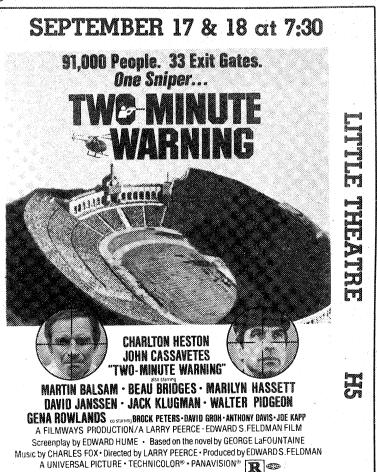
"You stupid arse," Barney yelled down at him.

"That young engineer feller was just here.-madder than six snakes. He said that whole goddam track is three inches too high. The whole cow shittin' lot has gotta come out of there. The big cat is down there right now, puttin' the ripper into it."

Angelo's cheeks grew fat. A red line came up out of his shirt, and moved north across his face. When it got to his eyes, it swelled them white. Brown teeth flapped His hands gripped and released

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### THE LARGEST SELECTION OF HOUSES **DUPLEXES** SUITES ROOMS AND **APARTMENTS** IN THE The last week, when Angel was NAIT AREA CALL NOW RENTEX #5 1005 82 Ave. Hoot brought the water bucket 11007 107 St.

# WATCH NEXT WEEK FOR OUR ALL - NEW

NEW LEGISLATION REVAMPS COLLEGES IN B.C.

VANCOUVER (CUP) -- Calling it the "education bill of the decadem" the B.C.government tabled legislation Aug.2 that drastically alters the status of the province's 14 community colleges

The B.C. Students' Federation and an increasing number of college deans and administrators believe the legislation consolidate power in the hands of the education minister.

And B.C.'s labour movement fears that bargaining rights of certified unions may be undermin ed by sections of ther Colleges and Provincial Institutes Act, Bill 82, that deal with the question of faculty unions.

The new legislation forbids student and faculty representation on college boards, which will become the new governing body at each college, and also requires that all bylaws passed by the college boards must be approved in writing by the minister before taking effect.

Education Minister Pat Mc¶ Geer has said the creation of three new councils, through which colleges must apply for money, will give colleges "new autonomy from direct government control."

But BCSF chairperson Gordon Bell says Bill 82 will not alleviate the problem of "ensuring community control and participation in the planning and governance of colleges ... but will further aggravate the problem by creating additional bureaucratic structures

that will isolate communities even more from the decision-making process.

Before Bill 82, B.C. colleges were governed by councils comprised of an equal number of elected school trustees from the district served by the college and provincial government appointees Bill 82 sets up college boards which do not have to include elected school trustees.

Punam Khosla, a National Union of Students executive member says "there is no built-in assurance that representatives on the board will be truly accountable to the comunities they represent."

She said the section of Bill 82 that deals with appointments to the board "offers us the most blatant example of this government's complete disregard for the principles of the democratization and decentralization of education in this province."

B.C. labour leaders are concerned about possible effects of onw section of Bill 823 which says the bill will not be bound by the provisions of the B.C. Labour Code.

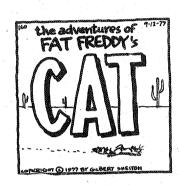
McGeer has said the section about labour relations "gives college faculty the right to choose between becoming trade unionist or professionals.'

Some faculty members have suggested that the section means that faculty will be forced to abandon unions if they want to have a share in decision-making at colleges.

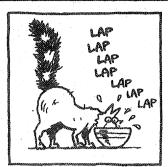
The legislation, which changes the name of community colleges

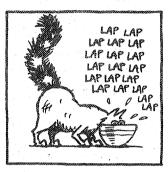
to regional colleges, also grants colleges the status of corporations and provides that they will be totally funded by the provincial government and the remaining 40 per cent from the school districts that they serve.

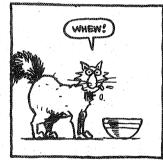
The bill also changes and complicates the process by which colleges must apply for money. Formerly, each college applied directly to the education department for money; under the new act, colleges must apply directly to three provincial councils and indirectly to the B.C. Universities Cruncil.













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During September, the gymnasium is available for conditioning and the sharpening of basketball skills - take advantage of this opportunity. Team tryouts begin on October 4 at 5:00 p.m.

Conditioning Practice Schedule

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. -Sept. 14,19, 26 and 28

7:00 - 10:00 p.m. -Sept. 22

I expect to see some of last years team and many new faces on October 4, and anticipate a much better season.

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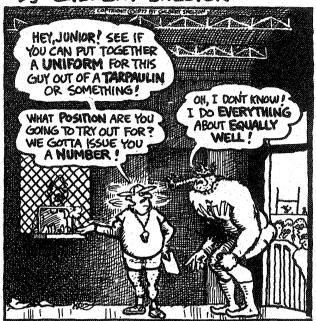
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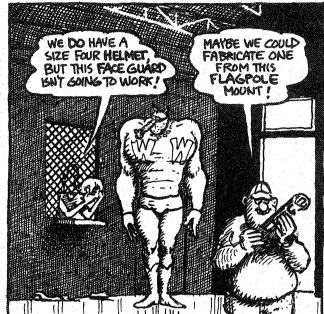
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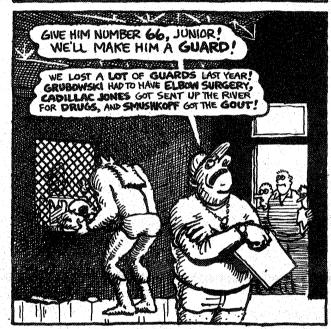
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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY MONICA

(Sept 14)

Drop on down to student services and give our little Monica her belayed best birthday wishes ((and, of course, kiss) In the true spirit of woman hood on

September 14th Monica turned 1 year

younger.

# JOIN NAIT RAQUET BALL CLUB

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING:

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 20 4:15 P.M. in J 14



Custer is dead but his spirit lives on. American Indian Movement activist Leonard Peltier has been sentenced, on the strength of forced testimony, to two consecutive life terms for the shooting of two FBI agents on the Pine Ridge reservation in North Dakota on June 26,1975.

The death of Joe Stuntx, a native American killed the same day, has not resulted in any charges being laid.

Eleven marshals and a handful of court officials heard the verdict while 50 anxious spectators waited outside, denied entrance by Judge Paul Benson.

In rendering the verdict, Benson ruled irrelevant testimony indication the FBI had used threats of murder charges and life sentences to obtain affidavits against Peltier.

Before the sentencing, Peltier issued a statement predicting the judge's verdict of two consecutive life terms. "You are about to perform an act which will close one more chapter in the history of the failure of the United States courts ... to do justice in the case of a native American."

Prosecution testimony was permitted even after witnesses said they were coerced into testifying by the FBI. The prosecution's case rested on the evidence of two witnesses, Myrtle Poor Bear and Norman Brown, a young Navajo.

Both Brown and Poor Bear presented evidence of FBI misconduct during preliminary hearings before the judge. Benson refused to let them testify before the jury.

After the shooting, 80 to 100 FBI agents raided the Pine Ridge reservation with helicopters, M-16s and sawed-off shotguns. Home after home was invaded for no stated reason. It was in this atmosphere that the FBI first contacted 17-year-old Brown. The following January, Brown and his mother met with two FBI agents who threatened him with separation from his mother,a murder charge and a lifetime jail

"They meant what they said, they were for real," Brown said during a preliminary hearing before the judge.

Poor Bear's story is similar. The FBI promised her a new name, money and a new place to live, at the same time as they threatened her with a murder charge and lifetime sentence. The price was an affidavit which she signed unread. It said she left the area the day before the shootings. She later signed a second affidavit stating she saw Peltier kill the agent, when FBI agents decided the first affidavit wasn't strong enough.

"I'm just scared of the government, of the FBI. They just keep talking about Anna Mae, how she died," Poor Bear told Benson. Annae Mae Aquash, a canadian AIM activist, was found murderedon Pine Ridge in February,

Throughout the trial, Benson

## **CUSTER** REVIEVED

allowed the prosecution to use previous testimony by Poor Bear in Presenting its case to the jury. But Poor Bear herself was not allowed to appear. Benson ruled she was not believable and her testimony would confuse and prejudice the jury.

The defence predicts an easy appeal and quick reversal of the jury's decision, as a result of such obvious judicial bias. The lawyer maintain the government brought charges against Peltier because of his role as an AIM activist, and then tried to construct evidence that would convict him.

At another trial last year, the jury accepted evidence which reasoned that the Pine Ridge people could only have been acting in self-defence. This, and testimony of FBI coercion of witnesses, contributed to the acquittal of Dino Butler and Paul Robideau, who faced the same charges as Peltier.

At the Battle of the Little Big Horn, well-armed white soldiers massacred native people. This year has seen the same battle in different guise. On one side are the government and the American judicial system. On the other, are the original American people. as Leonard Peltier said: "When colonial white society invades and occupies our territories these are not called criminal acts.

"But when the native people stand up and resist these are considered criminal. But these are not crimes. They are political acts in which our people stand for their rights of self-determination, self-dignity and self-respect against a cruel and oppressive might of another nation.'

LEONARD PELTIER'S STATE MENT TO THE COURT-

Leonard Peltier, American Indian Movement activist, was convicted April 18 of the murder of two Federal Bureau of Investigation agents on the Pine Ridge reservation on June 26, 1975. In Fargo, North Dakota, Judge Paul Benson sentenced Peltier on June 1 to two consecutive life sentence.

The following is Peltier's statement to Judge Benson. 

There is no doubt in my mind or my people's minds you are

going to sentence me to two consecutive life terms. You are, and have always been, prejudiced favoured the government all through this trial and you are happy to do whatever the FBI would want you to do in this case.

I did not always believe this to be so! When I first saw you you in the courtroom in Sioux Falls, your dignified appearance misled me into thinking that you were a fair-minded person who knew something of the law are who would act in accordance with the law! Which meant that you would be impartial and not favour one side or the other in this lawsuit; that has not been the case and I now firmly believe that you will impose consecutive life terms solely because that's what you think will avoid the displeasure of he FBI.

Neither my people nor myself snow why you would be so concerned about an organization hat has brought so much shame o the American people. But you ire! Your conduct during this rial leaves no doubt that you will the bidding of the FBI without iny hesitation!

You are about to perform an act which will close one more chapter n the history of the failure of the Jnited States courts and the ailure of the people of the United states to do justice in the case of a native American.

After centuries of murder of nillions of my brothers and isters by white racist America could have been wise in thinking hat you would break that tradiion and commit an act of justice? Ibviously not! Because I should save realized that what I detected vas only a very thin layer of lignity and surely not of fine haracter.

If you think my accusations lave been harsh and unfounded, I vill explain why I have reached hese conclusions and why I think ny criticism has not been harsh nough:

First, each time my defence eam tried to expose FBI misconluct in their investigation of this awsuit and tried to present vidence of that, you claimed it vas irrelevant to this trial.

But the prosecution was allowd to present their case with vidence that was in no way elevant to this lawsuit -- for xample, an automobile blowing ip on a freeway in Wichita, Cansas; an attempted murder in Ailwaukee, Wisconsin, for which have not been found innocent or uilty; a van loaded with legally urchased firearms and a policenan who claims someone fired at im in Oregon state,. upreme Court of the United tates tried to prevent convictions f this sort by passing into law hat only past convictions may be resented as evidence if it is not rejudicial to the lawsuit, and nly evidence of said case my be sed.

This court knows very well I ave no prior convictions, nor am even charged with some of these lleged crimes; therefore, they annot be used as evidence in rder to receive a conviction in his farce called a trial.

This is why I strongly believe ou will impose two life terms, unning consecutively, on me.

Second, you could not make a easonable decision about my entence because you suffer fro... t least one of three defects that revent a rational conclusion: ou plainly demonstrated this in our decision about the Jimmy lagle and Myrtle Poor Bear spects of this case. In Jimmy's ase, for some unfounded reason hat only a judge who consciously nd openly ignores the law would all it irrelevant to my trial; in the nental torture of Myrtle Poor lear you said her testimony ould shock the conscience of the merican people if believed!

But you decided what was to be elieved and what was not to be elieved -- not the jury! Cupit onduct shocks the conscience of hat the American legal system tands for -- the search for the cuth by a jury of citizens.

What was it that made you so fraid to let that testimony in? our own guilt of being part of a orrupted, pre-planned trial to et a conviction no matter how our reputation would be tarnishd? For these reasons, I strongly elieve you will do the bidding of ne FBI and give me two consecuve life terms.

Third, in my opinion, anyone ho failed to see the relationship etween the undisputed facts of nese events surrounding the westigation used by the FBI in neir interrogation of the Navaio ouths -- Wilford Draper, who was ied to a chair for three hours and enied access to his attorney; the utright threats to Norman Brown fe; the bodily harm threatened Mike Anderson -- and, finally, he murder of Anna Mae Aquash, nust be blind, stupid or without uman feelings. So there is no oubt, and little chance, that you ave the ability to avoid doing oday what the FBI wants you to o -- which is to sentence me to wo life terms running consecut.-

Fourth, you do not have the bility to see that the conviction of n AIM activist helps to cover up that the government's own evience showed: that large umbers of Indian people engagd in that fire fight on June 6,1976.

You do not have the ability to ee that the government must uppress the fact that there is a rowing anger amongst Indian eople and that native Americans rill resist any further encroachnents by the military forces of the apitalistic Americans, which is videnced by the large number of 'ine Ridge residents who took up rms on June 26,1975, to defend nemselves.

Therefore, you do not have the bility to carry out your responsiility towards me in an impartial ray and will run my two life erms consecutively.

Fifth, I stand before you as a proud man: I feel no guilt! I have done nothing to feel guilty about! I have no regrets of being a native American activist -- thousands of people in the United States. Canada and around the world have and will continue to support me to expose the injustices which have occurred in this courtroom.

I do feel pity for your people that they must live under such an ugly system. Under your system, you are taught greed, racism and corruption -- and most serious of all, the destruction of Mother Earth.

Under the native American system, we are taught all people are brothers and sisters; to share the wealth with the poor and needy. But the most important of all is to respect and preserve the earth, who ... e consider to be our mother. We feed from her breast; our mother gives us life from birth and when it's time to leave this world, who again takes us back into her womb. But the main thing we are taught is to preserve her for our children and our grandchildren, because they are the next who will live upon her.

No, I'm not the guilty one here; I'm not the one who should be called a criminal -- white racist America is the criminal for the destruction of our lands and my people; to hide your guilt from the decent human beings in America and around the world, you will sentence me to two consecutive life terms without any hesitation.

Sixth, there are less than 400 federal judges for a population of over 200 million Americans. Therefore, you have a very pow-

erful and important responsibility which should be carried out impartially. But you have never been impartial where I was concerned.

You have the responsibility of protecting the constitutionsl rights and laws, but where I was concerned, you neglected to even consider my, or native, Americans' constitutional rights. But, the most important of all -- you neglected our human rights.

If you were impartial, you would have had an open mind on all the factual disputes in this case. But you were unwilling to allow even the slightest possibility that a law enforcement officer would lie on the stand.

Then, how could you possibly be impartial enough to let my lawyers prove how important it is to the FBI to convict a native American activist in this case'0 You do not have the ability to see that such a conviction is an important part of the efforts to discredit those who are trying to alert their brothers and sisters to the new threat form the white man, and the attempt to destroy what little Indian land remains in the process of extracting our uranium, oil and other minerals.

Again, to cover up your part in this, you will call me a heartless, cold-blooded murderer who deserves two life sentences consecutively.

Seventh, I cannot expect a judge who has openly tolerated the conditions I have been jailed under to make an impartial decision on whether I should be sentenced to concurrent or consecutive life terms. You have been made aware of the following conditions which I had to endure at the Grand Forks County Jail since the time of the verdict';

I was denied access to a phone to call my attorneys concerning my appeal;

I was locked in solitary confinement without shower facilities. soap, towels, sheets or pillow;

The food was inedible, what little there was of it; and

My family -- brothers, sisters, mother and father -- who travelled long distances from the reservation was denied visitation.

No human being should be subjected to such treatment; and while you parade around pretending to be decent, impartial and law-abiding, you knowingly allowed your fascist chief deputy marshal to play storm-trooper. Again, the only conclusion that comes to mind is that you know and always knew that you would sentence me to two consecutive life terms. Finally, I honestly believe that

you made up your mind long ago that I was guilty under the law. But this does not supress me,, because you are a high-ranking member of the white racist American establishment which has consistently said "In God we trust," While they went about the business of murdering my people and attempting to destroy our culture.

The only thing I'm guilty of and which I was convicted for was of being Chippewana and Sioux blood and for believing in our sacred religion.

GRS (CB) SYMPOSIUM EDMONTON, August 29, 1977. --The Department of Communications is sponsoring a public symposium on the General Radio Service (Citizens' Band Radio) at the University of Alta., Friday evening and Saturday, September 16 and 17.

The symposium is to provide a forum for discussion of the key issues facing the General Radio Service in Canada and to make recommendations for futrue policy formulation.

GRS clubs, GRS users in industry, amateur radio operators, equipment suppliers, government officials, law enforcement agencies, educators and private citizen will be represented.

The symposium is expected to be of greatest appeal to those affected by GRS and those interested in it as a social phenomenon The keynote address will be given on Friday evening at 8:00 p.m. by Ross Milne, M.P. parliamentary secretary to Minister of Communications Jeanne Sauve.

On Saturday, workshops will examine five topics:

.. Present and Future Uses of GRS

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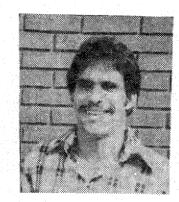
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There is no registration fee and everyone is welcome subject to space limitations. Additional attendance from individual CBers and interested private citizens is encouraged.

Registration can be completed by writing to the Department of Communications, #400, 10025 106 Street, Edmonton, Alberta T5J 1G6, or by phoning Murray Watson at (403) 425-5189.



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NAITSA is pleased to announce the appointment of Robert Hackney as Publications Advertising manager. He will be ressponsible for all the advertising in the Student Directory and the Nugget.

Rob is a second year Business student specializing in Marketing .He has already been doing an excellent job for us this summer getting advertising for the Directory.

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While Barney held his hand down on Angelo's head, Hoot slipped around the front of the truck, lifted the hood, and took the coil wire.

Angelo was back in the truck in a flash. It was all we could do to stifle the laughter as he beat the steering wheel, the dashboard, and the windshield. The door flew open again and out he came. he was at a full gallop before he even touched the pavement, head ed towards the engineer's shack.

"Beer time boys." Gary stepped over to the truck, pulled out the case, and handed us each a fresh from the bar beer. We laughed, and rolled on the ground stood up, bent over and laughed till our sides hurt. Then we drank the case of beer.

It appears Angelo didn't bother to knock on the door of the engineer shack. He didn't even bother to open it. He went thru it like a wild man, and scared the secretary up one wall and down the other.

When he finally realized the the engineer wasn't there, he flew back out the door, and scrambled up the hill, under the upper level stands, and out onto the deck before the lower level seatss- screeching all the way.

The engineer was down on the field, checking something out with the cat operator. They both turned when they heard a scruch half way up the stands. Their eyes focused on the cause of the screeching just as Angelo tripped on his boot lace. They watched as he tumbled down the sharp incline of the steps, arms waving, red hard hat bouncing around, and still the screeching. Angelo tumbled right off the edge, onto the track, and layed there for a second. Then he stood up, weaved, took a few steps, and fell into the newly planted grass on the inside ring.

It turned out he was only dazed. He's far too tough to hurt. The engineer bent over him, slapping two frozen puffy checks, and when the feeling came back, Angelo, the attack Foreman whispered up at him,

"Don't you touch my track you educated bastard."

The next morning we all showed up, a triffle apprehensive. At seven o'clock precisely, on old beat up pick up truck rumbled thru the back gate, and drove slowly up to the paving machine. No red hard hat, no brown teeth,

and no hysterical laughter. A calm elderly gentleman stepped out of the truck, brushed down a slightly crumpled suit, and came over to us.

A polished voice spoke. "Angelo has told me that you are the best damn crew he's ever seen. You've finished slightly ahead of time, so we're going to pay you till the end of the week, and you can leave now. We shook our heads in disbelief.

angelo's had an accident - nothing serious. He'll be down for two days at the most."

As he spoke, he handed our brown envelopes to Hoot, who handed them to us.

"I want to thank you personnally for staying on. I know Angelo is hard on his man. God knows he's hard on me, but you got the job done, Go home lads, and go back to bed."

We said our good byes as the gentleman drove away, and each of us returned to our winter lives.

On the way home in the car, Hoot's eyes were twinkling again.

"Tell me just exactly how you felt everytime Angelo yelled at you."

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